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For: THE CULTURE MEDIUM FOR CULTURING FEEDER CELLS FOR EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS CULTURE AND THE PREPARED FEEDER CELLS

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## **RESPONSE TO NOTICE** OF NONCOMPLIANT PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Preliminary Amendment is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated February 12, 2008, for which the Examiner has set a one-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before March 12, 2008.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The corrected Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.